

AUG 03 2006**PATENT****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE****In the PATENT APPLICATION of:****Philip J. Pietraski****Application No.: 10/698,721****Confirmation No.: 1573****Filed: October 31, 2003****For: METHOD FOR CHANNEL QUALITY
PREDICTION FOR WIRELESS
COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS****Group: 2683****Examiner: James D. Ewart****Our File: I-2-0438.1US****Date: July 19, 2006****REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

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Sir:

This Reply is being filed in response to the Office Action dated March 20, 2006 along with an appropriate petition for extension of time. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is filed concurrently herewith.

Please amend the application without prejudice or disclaimer as follows: